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2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

# S. 2372

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

AUGUST 9 (legislative day, AUGUST 8), 1994

Mr. SIMON introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## A BILL

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1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4       This Act may be cited as the “Civil Rights Commis-  
5       sion Reauthorization Act of 1994”.

6       **SEC. 2. COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS.**

7       Section 5(a) of the United States Commission on  
8       Civil Rights Act of 1983 (42 U.S.C. 1975c(a)) is amended  
9       to read as follows:

1       “(a) INVESTIGATORY AND OTHER DUTIES.—The  
2 Commission shall—

3           “(1) investigate allegations, in writing, under  
4 oath or affirmation, relating to deprivations of civil  
5 rights based on color, race, religion, sex, age, disabili-  
6 ty, or national origin, or as a result of any pattern  
7 or practice of fraud, or denial of the right to vote  
8 and have votes counted; and

9           “(2) study, collect, make appraisals of, serve as  
10 a national clearinghouse for information on, and  
11 prepare public service announcements and advertis-  
12 ing campaigns to discourage discrimination or the  
13 denial of equal protection of the laws, including the  
14 administration of justice, based on color, race, reli-  
15 gion, sex, age, disability, or national origin.”.

16 **SEC. 3. REAUTHORIZATION.**

17       Section 7 of the United States Commission on Civil  
18 Rights Act (42 U.S.C. 1975e) is amended to read as  
19 follows:

20 **“SEC. 7. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

21       “‘There is authorized to be appropriated to carry out  
22 this Act \$9,500,000 for fiscal year 1995.’”.

1 **SEC. 4. TERMINATION.**

2       Section 8 of the United States Commission on Civil  
3 Rights Act (42 U.S.C. 1973f) is amended by striking  
4 “1994” and inserting “1997”.

